



In re Application of:  
Peter F. Batho

Filed: January 15, 2004

**For: System and Method for Offshore Production  
with Well Control**

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Group Art Unit: 3672

**Examiner: Thompson, Kenneth L.**

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## REPLY AND AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

**In response to the Office Action mailed April 7, 2006, Applicants submit the following:**

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.